

LESSON

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PRACTICE WORKSHEET A

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Latin Roots: Active Verbs

A. Directions: Each underlined word has a Latin root. Circle the answer that correctly identifies the root.

1. The dancer's deportment was extremely graceful.
 - a. *press*, press
 - b. *port*, carry
 - c. *mitt*, send
2. The new members of the club were introduced at a luncheon.
 - a. *duc*, lead
 - b. *tract*, pull
 - c. *intro*, within
3. Both arrows and paper airplanes are kinds of missiles.
 - a. *mis*, wrong
 - b. *miss*, send
 - c. *mille*, thousand
4. He paused in order to formulate his reply.
 - a. *lass*, weak
 - b. *port*, carry
 - c. *form*, shape

B. Directions: Use your knowledge of Latin roots to circle the **best** definition for the underlined word.

5. Kelly retracted her answer because she discovered a new piece of information.
 - a. presented again
 - b. took back
 - c. sent ahead
6. The pitcher finally was inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame.
 - a. proclaimed
 - b. indicated
 - c. allowed in
7. The dictator ruled the people primarily by oppressing them.
 - a. surprising
 - b. weighing heavily on
 - c. ending away
8. The best feature about this camping equipment is its portability.
 - a. ease of carrying
 - b. usefulness for many things
 - c. stylishness
9. A child's most formative years are those before age six.
 - a. carefree and happy
 - b. innocent
 - c. influencing shape or character
10. After two weeks, my missive finally reached my pen pal in New Zealand.
 - a. letter
 - b. news
 - c. emotion